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ON LONG-TERM DEFENSE PROGRAM

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DTG 041307Z NOV 77.

1. REF B APPARENTLY CROSSED REF A, ARRIVING AS THE DRAFT-
ING OF REF C WAS IN THE FINAL STAGES. WE DO NOT NOW EXPECT
THE IS TO CIRCULATE THE DRAFT EWG REPORT BEFORE MONDAY,
NOVEMBER 7, AT THE EARLIEST. SINCE WE SHOULD NOT, IN
CONSEQUENCE, EXECUTE PARAGRAPH 2, REF B, BEFORE LATE AFTER-
NOON, MONDAY, WE DECIDED TO FORWARD REF C FOR WASHINGTON'S
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CONSIDERATION AS AN ALTERNATIVE COURSE OF ACTION.

2. WE BELIEVE THAT THE LETTER IN PARAGRAPH 1, REF B, WOULD
SUPPORT THE APPROACH IN REF C, IN DEMONSTRATING THE NEED
FOR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS TO TASK FORCE DIRECTORS FROM
DPC PERMREPS. THE FACT OF ITS DELIVERY TO WIJTING, BRANDT,
AND QUINLAN DOES NOT CUT ACROSS THE APPROACH OF PROVIDING

ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE FROM THE DPC/PS.

3. WE EXPECT TO DISCUSS REFTELS WITH AMBASSADOR KOMER AND
MGEN BOWMAN IN BRUSSELS. BY THE TIME THEY ARRIVE, WE MAY
HAVE AN ADVANCE COPY OF THE EWG REPORT. GLITMAN

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